

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE HOUSE

63 Federal Street, Brunswick

From 1850 to 1852, this 2½-story frame house was the residence of Harriet Beecher Stowe, and it was here that she wrote *Uncle Tom's Cabin, or Life among the Lowly*. A scathing indictment of slavery, it was first published in serial form, became an instant success, and was eventually translated into 23 languages. The book had a direct impact on the course of American history. An idea of its influence can be garnered from Abraham Lincoln's salute to Stowe as "the little lady who started this great war."